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Title: "LOCKABLE BRAKE PEDAL FASTENER"

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This is a Continuation-in-Part application of and claims priority from pending prior application No. 10/015,339, entitled "Brake Pedal Fastener," filed 12/12/01. The entire disclosure of the prior application is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

Enclosed for filing with the above-identified utility patent application, please find the following:

1. [X] Small Entity Statement.
2. [X] Specification (Total Pages of Text, including Abstract and Claims: 22)
3. [X] Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets: 10) ☐ FORMAL ☒ INFORMAL
4. [X] Oath or Declaration (Total Pages: 4) ☒ Signed ☐ Unsigned
5. [X] Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i).
6. [X] Power of Attorney
7. [X] Return Postcard (MPEP 503) (should be specifically itemized)
8. [X] A check in the amount of \$492.00 is enclosed.
9. [X] Other: None

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	(COL. 1) NO. FILED			(COL. 2*) NO. EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY			LARGE ENTITY	
					RATE	FEE		RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE:						\$375.00	OR		\$750.00
TOTAL CLAIMS:	33	-	20	13	X \$9 =	\$117.00	OR	X \$18 =	
INDEP. CLAIMS:	3	-	3	0	X \$42 =	\$0.00	OR	X \$84 =	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					+ \$140 =	\$0.00	OR	+ \$280 =	
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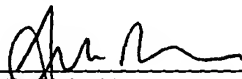
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